

May 10, 2002

Via Electronic Filing

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **EX PARTE**
ET Docket No. 95-18; IB Docket 01-185; ET Docket No. 00-258

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 10, 2002, on behalf of ICO Global Communications (Holdings) Ltd., the undersigned met with Jim Ball, Chief, Policy Division, International Bureau. During the meeting ICO emphasized the need for expeditious action in the MSS flexibility proceeding in order to proceed apace with ICO system upgrades, and highlighted the completeness of the record in the proceeding.

In accordance with section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, I am submitting an electronic copy of this letter. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Suzanne Hutchings
Suzanne Hutchings
ICO Global Communications (Holdings) Ltd.

cc: Jim Ball